

Subject: Cecere's medals at the ANS

Cecere, Gaetano

1936

[Sculptor

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Gaetano Cecere, Sculptor
412 West 33rd Street
New York

July 15th, 1936.

Mr. Sydney P. Noe;
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway and 155th Street,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Noe:

I visited the Numismatic Museum last Sunday. I found that I am represented by only two of my earlier medals. Sometime ago you wrote asking my permission to have copies of my latest medal "The American Academy in Rome Alumni Medal" to which I gladly consented. You have also the 8th issue of The Medalist Society Medal which I designed in 1933.

I know it is your wish that each sculptor be fully represented therefore I strongly feel that these two latest medals of mine should be added to the two now on view since I think they more adequately represent my later work in medals. I noticed also that my Columbia Broadcasting Medal is not placed at the correct angle. The water lines at the base of the obverse determines it's position. If you wish I will gladly come to the Museum and help place it correctly.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Gaetano Cecere

ARC.

July 16, 1936

Mr. Gaetano Cecere,
412 West 33rd Street,
New York, NY

Dear Mr. Cecere:

I am very glad that you brought to our attention the medals of yours we have on exhibition. I am having the American Academy in Rome Alumni Medal put in the Exhibition case with your other two medals.

The Medallie Society Medal is now out, but will try to later display it.

I have also fixed the Columbia Broadcasting Medal.

The Academy of Rome Medal was placed with some other medals to put on permanent exhibition but when we put out new medals on display we try to put a number out at one time.

Very truly yours,

Curator

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